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JOHN ALEX MCCONE	

January 12, 1977

Mr. Walter Elder Office of the Director Central Intelligence Agency Washington, D. C. 20505

Dear Mr. Elder:

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$25.00 which Mr. McCone has received from The H. W. Wilson Company as a fee for permitting the reprint of his article in TV Guide. You will note the check is made in favor of the Educational Aid Fund which was done at Mr. McCone's request.

Mr. McCone mentioned that after the new organization is established and he is sure the Educational Aid Fund is going to be carried on in the manner it has been in the past, he will then consider the fulfillment of his pledge made several years ago. For your ready reference, the pledge was for \$50,000 of which \$20,000 has been paid. Also, in October of 1975, a check in the amount of \$500.00 was sent to the Fund by the Encyclopaedia Britannica which was the honorarium received by Mr. McCone for writing an article for their Year Book. Mr. McCone feels, however, that with all the turmoil going on and the constant references to conflicts of interest, it is best not to do anything for the time being.

On another subject - again, thanks for all your help and concern during the past ten days - it is greatly appreciated!

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	Secretary to John A. 1	McCone
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